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Pneumatic Conveying / Piping Project Case Studies

Project:	Pulverized Limestone Distribution
Year:	2015
Client:	Proprietary
Project Location:	Pennsylvania
Material:	Pulverized Limestone
Services:	Engineering Design
Constructed Value:	\$7M

Project design elements included (6) new silos, (6) existing silos, (2) mills, (1) fine grinding system, (42) rotary valves, (29) diverter valves, (6) dust collectors, (17) pressure blowers and thousands of feet of 4" through 8" pneumatic conveying piping interconnecting all the systems.



Designs included general arrangement layout of all equipment, coordination with vendor supplied items, buildings and infrastructure. Designs also included long span pipe bridges, customized pipe support racks, dust collection ducting, compressed air systems.

Retrofit project area with extensive interface into existing equipment. MSHA Plant.

Project:	Cement Distribution
Year:	2009
Client:	ESSROC Cement
Project Location:	Martinsburg, WV
Material:	Finished Cement
Services:	Engineering
Constructed Value:	\$5M

Complete design engineering package for distribution of finished cement from new Multi-Cell silo to existing concrete silos. Extensive coordination with equipment vendor Claudius Peters Americas and plant.

Thousands of feet of semi-dense phase (Fluid-Con) piping systems with accompanying compressed air distribution for



fluidization. Structural modifications to existing equipment, new dust collection systems and 70' span pipe bridge.

Retrofit project with extensive interface and modifications to existing equipment. MSHA Plant.

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Project:	Conveying Systems - Plastic Pellets
Year:	1996
Client:	AEP Industries
Project Location:	Mountaintop, PA
Material:	Plastic (PE) Pellets
Services:	Engineering Design
Constructed Value:	\$750K

New plant construction included conveying logistics and piping to move product from (22) silos to (20) blown film machines in plant. Systems included (5) vacuum pumps, (2) 50HP railcar unloading pumps and numerous bin vents.



Designed thousands of feet of 3" and 4" aluminum tubing for product distribution. Create construction drawings, inventories of all materials and coordinate with plant control systems.

Greenfield project area. OSHA Plant.

Conveying Systems - Plastic Pellets
1997
Carlisle Syntec Systems
Senatobia, MS
Plastic Pellets for TPO Roofing Material
Engineering Design
\$1.750M

Plant expansion required (3) additional bulk storage silos and (25) pneumatic receivers for process lines. Process lines also filled via local gaylords.



Pneumatic piping design in 3" aluminum tubing with hose proofing stations to coordinate and verify material source / destination.

Retrofit project with extensive interface into existing equipment and systems. OSHA Plant.

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Project:	Flour Conveying System
Year:	2003
Client:	Atteco (Mrs. Tee's Pierogi's)
Project Location:	Shenandoah, PA
Material:	Flour
Services:	Engineering Design
Constructed Value:	\$2M



Complete engineering package for storage, conveyance and batch weighing of flour used for pierogi's. Food grade pneumatic piping systems required specialized designs for inspections and cleanout. Included bulk silo unloader to promote flow out of silos and into to dilute phase pressure conveying system.

Retrofit project with limited interface into existing equipment. OSHA Plant.

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